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From the King of Poland's *Camp at* Pietrowin, April 25. STrict Orders are given for all the Troops to obſerve exact Diſcipline; and a Camp is mark'd out for all the Forces that are of the King's Party to draw together. The Deputies of the Palatinate of Lencizia have had Audience of his Majeſty, in which they humbly begg'd his Pardon for having been conſtrain'd by a Superior Force to enter into the Confederacy of Warſaw; which they were induc'd to do by a deſire of Peace, and not by any Deſign to violate his Maſeſty's Rights. The Palatinate of Lublin has enter'd into the Confederacy of Sendomir for the King; and the Nobility of that Palatinate have reſolv'd to mount on Horſeback upon the firſt Order they ſhall receive to that purpoſe.

Warſaw, May 3. The Aſſembly of the Confederates is adjourn'd from time to time; the Confederacy is weaken'd by the going off of the Palatinates of Lencizia and Cujavia, which have ſent Deputies to the King, as have alſo the Territories of Bilz and Brohlk; and 'tis apprehended the Palatinate of Plosko will follow their Example, becauſe the Nobility thereof are ruin'd, and above 150 Villages have been burnt by the Swedes, tho' they belong to the Confederates; which is ill reſented. The Univerſalia for publiſhing the Interregnum are actually Printing. The chief Referendarius and 2 other great Officers of the Crown, the Biſhop of Chelm, the Palatine of Kalis, the Caſtellan of Caminieck, and ſeveral other Senators, are gone to the King. The Palatinates who have left the Confederacy, have declar'd, that they enter'd into it, with no other Views than the Hopes of ſeeing proper Meaſures taken to re-eſtabliſh the Peace and Welfare of the Republick, as the Summons to the Congreſs imported; but perceiving by the violent Reſolutions that have been taken, that the Congreſs is govern'd by Paſſion in all they do, and have Deſigns directly oppoſite to the Publick Good, they will have no more to do with them, nor be any longer the Inſtruments of ruining their Country. In particular, they extremely diſapprove the hot and injurious Expreſſions made uſe of by the Cardinal Primate in the Letter he wrote to the Pope; the more, becauſe the Pope himſelf has in his Letters to the Senators recommended to them Union and a good Intelligence with King Auguſtus II. as the only Means to reſtore the publick Tranquility and maintain the Liberty of Poland; whereas the Deſign of dethroning him cannot but produce a miſerable Confuſion in the Kingdom, and utterly Ruine it. And 'tis likewiſe confidently reported, that Signior Spada, the Pope's Nuncio, being convinc'd, by the Reſolution paſs'd in the Congreſs to publiſh an Interregnum, that all his Endeavours to inſpire peaceful Sentiments into the Cardinal Primate and his Party were ineffectual, could not forbear expreſſing himſelf to his Eminency in the following Terms, *Since I perceive the Gentlemen of the Confederacy perſiſt in their Obſtinacy, and blindly ſeek their own Ruine, without attending to the wholeſome Counſels that have been given them, I am reſolv'd to depart hence, that I may not ſee the* Monſtrous Fact *they intend to commit.* While the Confederates are diſpoſing all things for the Publiſhing of the Interregnum, they are concerting Meaſures underhand for Electing a New King, but we cannot gueſs yet whom they will endeavour to get choſen. 'Tis reported for certain that Prince Alexander has refus'd the Offer made him to procure the Election to fall upon him, looking upon the Crown to be rather a Burthen than an Honour in ſuch turbulent Times, which are fitter to allay than excite Ambition.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated May 27.

Warſaw, May 8. The Cardinal Primate and the Marſhal of the Confederacy have at length publiſh'd the Interregnum. And yeſterday after a ſolemn Maſs was over, as alſo a Proceſſion that was made to our Cathedral, the Confederates againſt the King held a publick Conference with General Horn the King of Sweden's Commiſſioner, to ſettle the Preliminaries of a Treaty of Peace. The Palatine of Poſnania, and the Marſhal of the Confederacy went to that General's Palace, brought him from thence in the Cardinal's Coach, and lead him into the Hall where the Congreſs was held; at his coming in, all the Members of the Aſſembly roſe up in their Places, and a Chair was ſet for him on the right Hand of the Cardinal Primate who ſat at a great Table, yet 2 Seats were left vacant between his Eminency and the ſaid General. Then the Senators that were preſent, having plac'd themſelves on the Cardinal's Left hand, General Horn read a Writing, containing the Intentions of the King his Maſter in relation to a Peace; when he had done reading it, the Cardinal Primate made him an Anſwer in very obliging Terms; the General deſir'd Commiſſioners might be nam'd to treat with him, and then he was conducted back to his Palace in the ſame manner he came. Soon after the General was gone out of the Aſſembly, the Cardinal Primate nam'd the Biſhop and the Palatin of Poſnania, and alſo the Palatin of Sitadia to treat with him in Quality of Commiſſioners of the Republick; and then the Congreſs was adjourn'd to the 11th. Mean time the Swedes that were in our Caſtle are march'd out, and the Guard of it is committed to Prince Lubomirski Great General of the Army of the Crown, who has put a few of his Troops into it. The General has ſent Orders to the ſaid Army, (moſt of which are gone over to the King,) to quit his Party, and to repair to Kizemenice the 17th inſtant, there to receive 6 Months Pay of their Arrears, on Penalty of loſing what is due to them, and of being puniſh'd in Time and Place for their Diſobedience. The 5th, Prince Alexander Sobieski ſet out from hence to go to the King of Sweden, who continues with his Army near Heilsberg in Pruſſia; whence 'tis preſum'd he aſpires to the Throne of Poland, notwithſtanding he gives out the contrary.

Cracow, May 10. The 28th of laſt Month the King left Pietrowin, and the next day arriv'd at Sendomir, where he gave Audience to Monſieur Jeſſen the Envoy of Denmark. He is now at Karecie, where 'tis ſaid he has reſolv'd to hold a great Council of Senators the 20th of this Month; and 'tis confirm'd he has diſpatch'd Univerſalia to all the Palatinates, commanding them to ſend Deputies to him by the 26th with whom he may agree on Meaſures for quieting the Troubles of the Kingdom. Letters are ſent to the Troops of the Crown Army that have not yet entred into the Confederacy for the King, to invite them to come in to him. The Pope's Nuncio, Signior Spada, is actually gone from Warſaw to the King of Poland. They write from Warſaw, that the Biſhop of Poſnania has order'd publick Prayers to be made in the Church of St. John Baptiſt in that City, for the happy Concluſion of the Treaty that is on foot between

tween the King of Sweden and the Republick; the King of Poland being excluded from having any part in it.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated May 29.

Warſaw, May 16. The 14th the Commiſſioners of the Republick had a Conference in the Cardinal Primate's Palace, with General Horn and Monſieur Wachſlager, the King of Sweden's Commiſſioners, touching the Peace, which is to be negociated on the Foot of the Treaty of Oliva; and General Horn produc'd a Letter from the King his Maſter, importing that his Majeſty had ſent Order to his Troops that are in the Palatinats which are confederated againſt the King of Poland, to levy no more Contributions. The 15th there was another Conference, when nothing was done becauſe Monſieur Wachſlager was indiſpos'd; but a new one is appointed to be held the 17th. Mean time we have Advice, that the King's Party increaſes daily; and that Monſieur Smiegelski has by his Excurſions much incommoded the Swediſh Troops commanded by General Reinſchild, who lyes near Pilere. The Nobility of Nur and of another neighbouring Palatinate, being joyn'd by a Party of the Troops of Lithuania, have fallen upon ſome Swediſh Forces at Nur, and cut them all in pieces, giving no Quarter.

Leiden, May 29. Letters from Cracow of the 17th of this Month adviſe, That the King of Poland is at preſent at Gorzice near Sendomir; And that all his Army is Marching to the place appointed for their general Rendezvous, the Head Quarters being mark'd out at Nizini on the River San: That the little Diets of Lublin, Vielum, Nur, and Czerzk, had been held at the time fix'd by the King of Poland, and had reſolv'd to mount on Horſeback and joyn him; tho' Czerzk is but 4 Leagues from Warſaw, and is conſequently expos'd to the Inſults of his Majeſty's Enemies. And that the little Diet of Cracow broke up, without coming to any Reſolutions; tho' ſeveral of the Nobility that came to it expreſs'd ſo great an Abhorrence for the Congreſs at Warſaw, that they propos'd their Act of Confederacy ſhould be burnt by the Hands of the common Hangman.

London, May 26.

Yeſterday Stocks were as follows, Bank 125 & a qr. New Comp. 245. Shares 30 & a half. Old Comp. 128 & a half. Million Bank 87 & a qr. Sword Blades 84. African 20 & a qr. Army Debentures 81 & a qr.

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